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as to prevent the transfer of vermin from vessels to land or land to vessels and for the performance of other sanitary duties." Doctor Foster desired to make these appointments in order to expedite business in case it was necessary to take action against any vessel for violation of present intrastate quarantine regulations.

*Report from Seattle, Wash.—No further cases of plague.*

Passed Assistant Surgeon Cofer reports:

November 5. No further developments in plague. Will start work Thursday with 4 acting assistants and 45 laborers; latter to be increased.

*Report from Santa Rosa Quarantine, Pensacola, Fla.—Malarial fever on steamship Hazlewood from Tampico.*

Acting Assistant Surgeon White reports, October 31:

The British steamship *Hazlewood*, 4 days out from Tampico, arrived at this station late on the 29th instant, with 5 of the crew taken ill during the passage with fever, accompanied with high temperatures. Since arrival, 3 more of the crew have sickened, having high temperatures, and to-day 2 more have reported sick, in each case accompanied with high temperatures. Seven of the cases have improved and the men have returned to duty, while the captain and 2 of the crew are still sick.

The vessel has been made clean and has been thoroughly fumigated. The water tanks have been cleaned and fresh water has been ordered from Pensacola.

Microscopical examination will be made from blood smears.

STATISTICAL REPORTS OF MORBIDITY AND MORTALITY, STATES AND CITIES  
OF THE UNITED STATES—UNTABULATED.

FLORIDA.—Reports to the State board of health for the week ended October 26, 1907, show as follows: Diphtheria—*Jacksonville*, 1 case; *St. Augustine*, 2 cases. Enteric fever—*Jacksonville*, 2 cases; *Clearwater*, 1 case. Tuberculosis—*Jacksonville*, 3 cases; *Tallahassee*, 1 case.

INDIANA—*Marion*.—Month of October, 1907. Estimated population, 27,000. Total number of deaths, 19, including enteric fever 1 and 1 from tuberculosis. Cases: Enteric fever, 8, and tuberculosis 1.

MICHIGAN.—Month of September, 1907. Estimated population, 2,611,792. Total number of deaths returned to the State department for the month was 2,882, including enteric fever 57, diphtheria 34, scarlet fever 5, measles 2, whooping cough 13, and 178 from tuberculosis. The total number of deaths from all causes corresponds to an annual rate of 13.5 per 1,000 estimated population.

MINNESOTA.—Month of August, 1907. Estimated population, 1,979,658. Reports to the State board of health show as follows: Total number of deaths, 1,329, including diphtheria 44, enteric fever 26, scarlet fever 5, whooping cough 5, and 155 from tuberculosis.

Deaths reported from State institutions during the month numbered 35, including enteric fever 1, and 10 from tuberculosis.

MONTANA.—Month of July, 1907. Estimated population, 280,000. Reports to the State board of health show as follows: Total number of deaths, 320, including diphtheria 13, enteric fever 13, measles 2, scarlet fever 4, whooping cough 3, and 28 from tuberculosis. Cases: Diphtheria 115, enteric fever 34, measles 68, scarlet fever 16, and smallpox, 12.

Month of September,<sup>a</sup> 1907. Total number of deaths, 314, including diphtheria 17, enteric fever 26, scarlet fever 1, whooping cough 3, and 16 from tuberculosis. Cases: Diphtheria 131, enteric fever 255, measles 14, scarlet fever 21, and smallpox 5.

NEW JERSEY—*Morristown*.—Month of October, 1907. Estimated population, 12,500. Total number of deaths, 21. Cases: Diphtheria 1, whooping cough 1, and scarlet fever 4.

OHIO—*East Liverpool*.—Month of September, 1907. Estimated population, 20,000. Total number of deaths, 29, including 1 from enteric fever. Cases: Enteric fever 7 and diphtheria 1.

PENNSYLVANIA—*Beaver Falls*.—Month of October, 1907. Estimated population, 12,000. No deaths reported. Cases: Diphtheria 2, enteric fever 1, measles 1, and scarlet fever 2.

*Higspire*.—Month of October, 1907. Estimated population, 1,500. Total number of deaths, 2. Five cases of enteric fever reported.

VIRGINIA.—Reports to the State board of health for the month of September, 1907, show as follows:

Diphtheria present in 18 counties; enteric fever in 73 counties; measles in 16 counties; scarlet fever in 8 counties; whooping cough in 26 counties; smallpox in 3 counties; and tuberculosis in 69 counties.

*Smallpox in the United States as reported to the Surgeon-General, Public Health and Marine-Hospital Service, June 28 to November 8, 1907.*

[For reports received from December 28, 1906, to June 28, 1907, see PUBLIC HEALTH REPORTS for June 28, 1907.]

[NOTE.—In accordance with custom, the tables of epidemic diseases are terminated semiannually and new tables begun.]

Place.	Date.	Cases.	Deaths.	Remarks.
Alaska:				
Nome.....	July 1-10 .....	1 .....	.....	From ss. Ohio.
St. Michael .....	May 26-July 13 .....	3 .....	.....	From ss. Pennsylvania, July 16; epidemic in vicinity.
Total for Territory.....		4 .....	.....	
California:				
General .....	July 1-31 .....	.....	1 .....	
Longbeach .....	Sept. 1-30 .....	5 .....	.....	
Los Angeles .....	July 21-Oct. 19 .....	3 .....	.....	
Oakland .....	July 1-Sept. 30 .....	4 .....	.....	Imported.
Pasadena .....	Sept. 1-30 .....	3 .....	.....	
Sacramento .....	July 1-30 .....	1 .....	.....	
San Francisco .....	June 22-Oct. 26 .....	41 .....	2 .....	
Total for State.....		57 .....	3 .....	

<sup>a</sup> For month of August, 1907, see Public Health Reports dated October 18, 1907.